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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner date, March 20, 2006, rejecting the following claims 1-13 and 15-28. The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(B)) **\$500.00.**

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